

**CONCLUSION**

For the reasons detailed above, it is submitted all remaining claims (Claims 1-25) are now in condition for allowance. The foregoing comments do not require unnecessary additional search or examination.

- Remaining Claims, as delineated below:

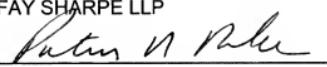
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT LESS HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(3) NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CLAIMS	<b>25</b>	<b>- 25 = 0</b>
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	<b>3</b>	<b>- 3 = 0</b>

- This is an authorization under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for extension of time, as incorporating a petition for the appropriate extension of time.
- Payment for the second and third month extension of time fees are being charged to a Credit Card via the EFS Web (the 1<sup>st</sup> month extension is being charged to a Deposit Account via the EFS Web).
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any filing or prosecution fees which may be required, under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 (but not 1.18), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-0308.

In the event the Examiner considers personal contact advantageous to the disposition of this case, he/she is hereby authorized to call Patrick R. Roche, at Telephone Number (216) 363-9000.

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